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Assignee: Cisco Technology, Inc.
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the final Office action dated April 8, 2003, having a shortened statutory period set to expire July 8, 2003. Further examination and consideration are requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below.